

TABLE NO. 2.—*continued*.
STATEMENT showing the RAILS ORDERED during the Year 1878 and up to 31st October, 1879, with Prices and Terms of Payment—*continued*.

Memo.	Order.		Date of Completion.	Port.	Contractor.	Class of Rail.	Weight.	Rate per Ton.	Value Paid.	Remarks.	Terms of Payment.
		Date.									
P.W. 78/2968	26 July, 1878	...	5 April, 1879	Wellington ...	Brought forward Macpherson and Co., Invercargill	52 lb. iron	Tons cwt. qr. lb. 820 1 2 21	£ s. d. 6 17 0	5,617 11 6	Delivered at Wellington Railway Station	Agent-General to pay 90 per cent. on value of materials supplied in Europe within fifteen days after receipt of Consulting Engineer's certificate that the materials have been delivered on board ship. Balance to be paid by Minister within fifteen days after Engineer-in-Chief's certificate that contract has been completed to his satisfaction. In case of further inquiry being desirable, Minister has power to suspend payment for period not exceeding one month.
P.W. 79/961	...	...	31 Mar., 1879	Lyttelton ...	Purchased from Lowcliffe Railway Company	45 lb. steel	530 7 3 2	About	4,039 0 0	Purchased on arrival at Lyttelton, and including English and other charges	Payment on delivery.
94/78	9 Nov., 1878	...	...	Auckland ...	Bolekow, Vaughan, and Co.	53 lb. "	1,125 0 0 0	4 19 0	5,568 15 0	Including 1s. 3d. per ton for dipping	Payment made by Agent-General (less any sum which he may be entitled to deduct in cash, fifteen days after receipt of Engineer's certificate of delivery on board ship and of amount to be paid.
"	"	"	...	"	"	40 lb. "	1,445 0 0 0	"	7,152 15 0	"	"
"	"	"	...	Napier	"	"	445 0 0 0	"	2,202 15 0	"	"
"	"	"	...	Wellington ...	"	53 lb. "	1,687 10 0 0	"	8,353 2 6	"	"
"	"	"	...	"	"	40 lb. "	1,445 0 0 0	"	7,152 15 0	"	"
"	"	"	...	Lyttelton	"	53 lb. "	1,687 10 0 0	"	8,353 2 6	"	"
"	"	"	...	"	"	40 lb. "	667 0 0 0	"	3,301 13 0	"	"
"	"	"	...	Port Chalmers	"	53 lb. "	1,687 10 0 0	"	8,353 2 6	"	"
"	"	"	...	"	"	40 lb. "	1,334 0 0 0	"	6,603 6 0	"	"
"	"	"	...	"	"	53 lb. "	562 10 0 0	"	2,784 7 6	"	"
"	"	"	...	"	"	40 lb. "	1,334 0 0 0	"	6,603 6 0	"	"

NOTE.—For totals see summary next Table.